





MS AF REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE **EXAMINING GROUP 2172**

> PATENT 0905-0226P

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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Respectfully submitted,

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In reply to the Examiner's Final Office Action dated January 3, 2005, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application as follows:

- Amendments to claims; and
- Remarks/Arguments.